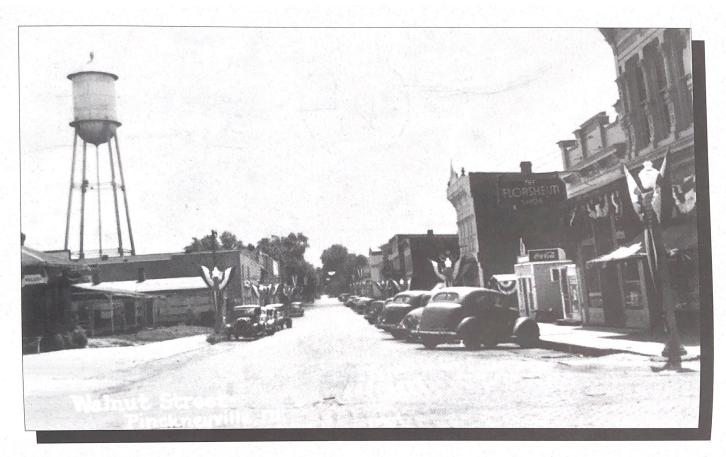


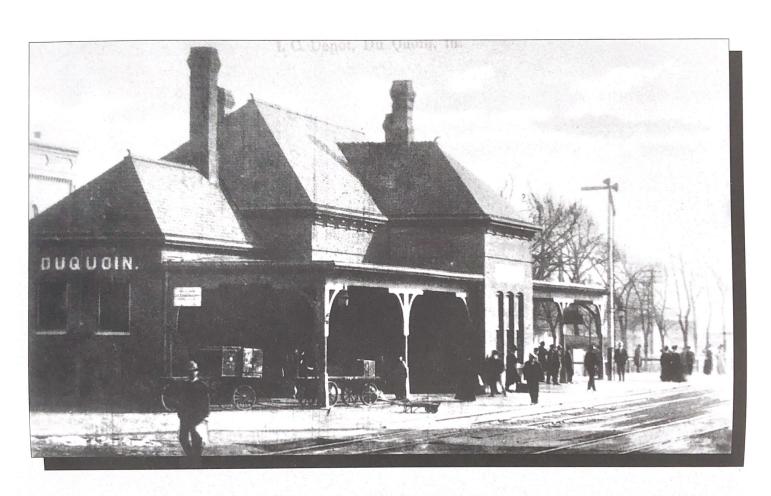
Perry County Courthouse - Completed April 10, 1879.



Arthur School located about five miles east of Du Quoin.



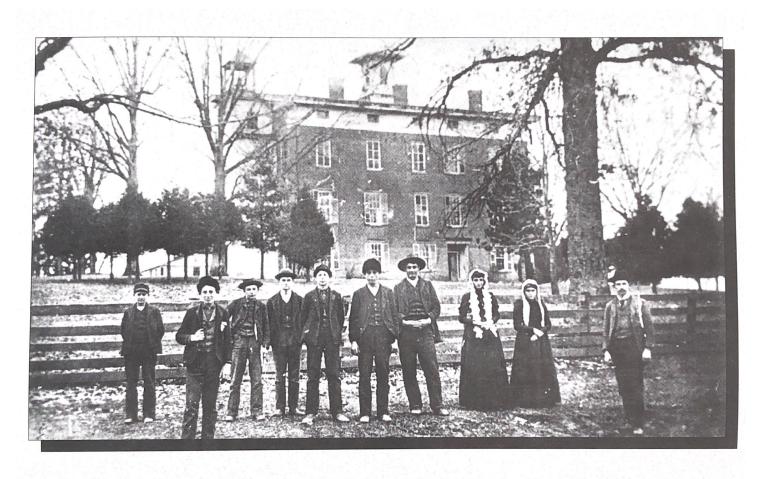
Looking south on Walnut Street in Pinckneyville. Circa 1900.



Illinois Central Depot in Du Quoin.



Stones Opera Hall in Tamaroa.



1892 - Old Du Quoin Seminary with several students and teacher, Merwin Stone.

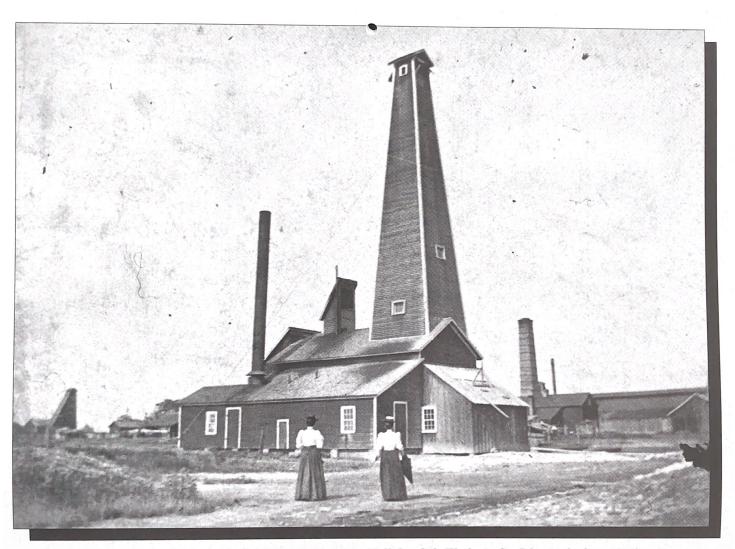


Area Citizens gather at the Denmark Post Office.

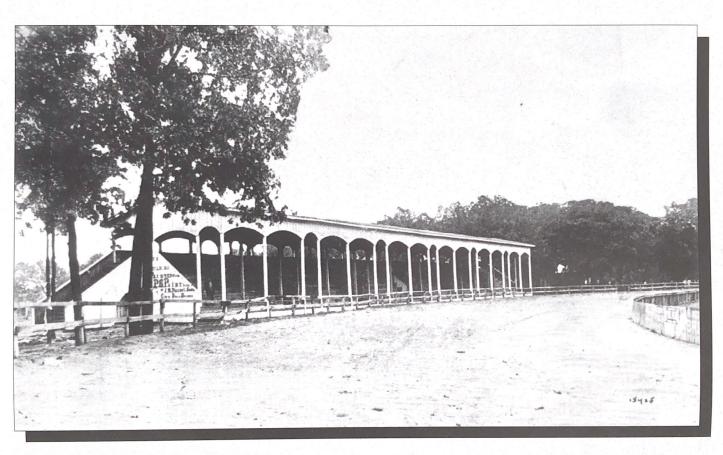


Cudgetown School, with broom on porch, waits sleepily for students to bring it to life.

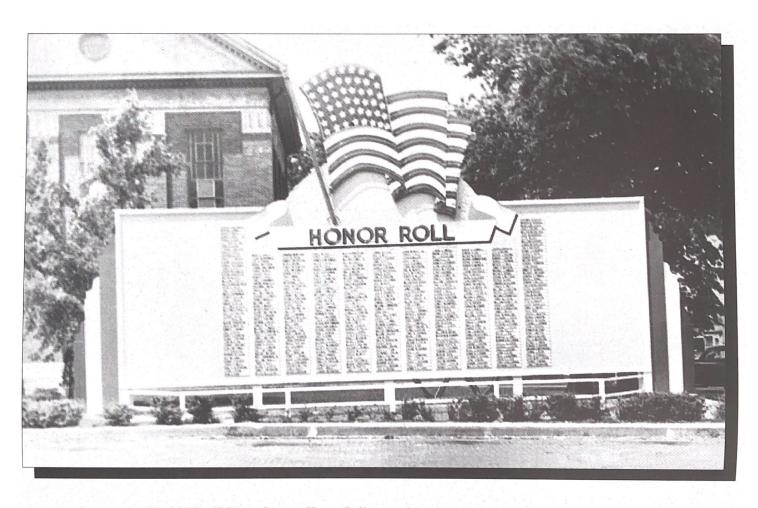
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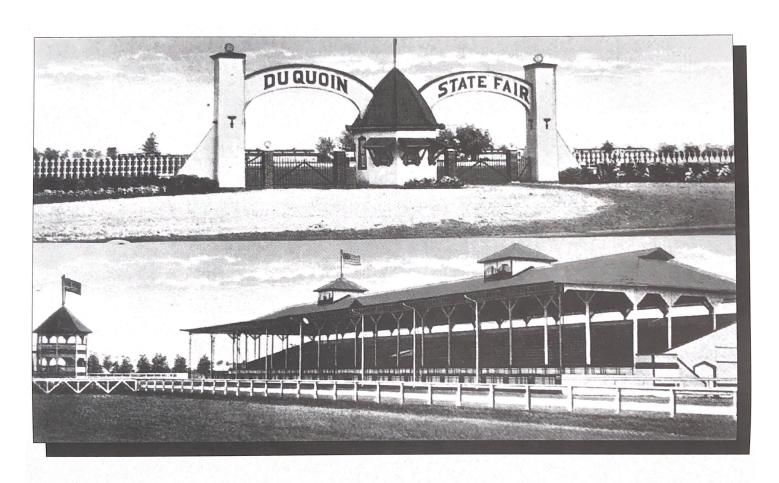
Two ladies walk near one of the Salt Wells of the Halliday Salt Works in St. John in the late 1890's.



Early Racetrack and Grandstand of Perry County Fair at Pinckneyville. Perry County Agricultural Society was organized in 1856.



World War II Perry County Honor Roll erected on the courthouse lawn in 1942-45.



The original front gate and original grandstand of the Du Quoin State Fair.